

# MANY MEN ARE KILLED

## Russians Suffer Great Loss in Engagement With the Japanese Who Use Ambush.

### SURPRISE WAS COMPLETE

#### Russian Commander Finally Succeeded in Withdrawing Men to Place of Safety.

London, June 22.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail under date of June 21 from Nuchwang says:

While a Russian force of 8000 under General Kondradovitch was traversing Wafungko ravine, nine miles southeast of Kaichou, June 9, it was surprised by concealed Japanese artillery.

The Russians lost heavily, their casualties being 1200.

General Kondradovitch extricated his men and led them in good order to an entrenched position.

### WILL BRING MEN BACK.

#### Miners' Federation to Use All Means But Violence.

Cripple Creek, Colo., June 22.—In reply to a telegram from the New York World, Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who is now a prisoner in the county jail here, sent an extended statement of present conditions in the state from his standpoint. Mr. Moyer said in part:

"The deportation of the union men and others being in my opinion unlawful, the Western Federation of Miners will use all lawful means to re-establish their members in their homes. No violence will be resorted to, but such legal steps as may be necessary to bring about the desired results will be taken at the proper time. Pending such action, deported members and their families will be supported by the federation.

"General Bell claims that the policy has been successful and that other states are expected to follow suit. If this be true, then rebellion is not improbable as the great majority of the American people are today condemning such a system and, regardless of unionism, would bitterly resist any attempt to put the same into practice. I disagree with the general as to the labor troubles being settled in Colorado, but do believe they will be settled by the ballot in the month of November."

### FOUR INJURED.

#### Prominent Men Hurt in Automobile Accident.

Boston, June 22.—Four prominent men—Dr. Franklin C. Newell, Dr. Richard Frothingham O'Neill, a son of Rear Admiral O'Neill; Richard Borden of Fall River and Henry Sweet—have been injured in an automobile accident on Brookline avenue. Dr. O'Neill was able to go home, but the others were taken to the city hospital. It is not thought they were seriously hurt.

How the accident occurred is not known. A boy found the wrecked automobile which appeared to have collided with a telegraph pole. The four men lay unconscious on the ground to which they had been hurled. Police ambulances carried them to the hospital.

### THE FOURTH AT THE FAIR.

#### Independence Day to Be Observed with Ceremonies Befitting Occasion.

St. Louis, June 21.—The committee on ceremonies of the exposition is engaged upon preparations of an elaborate program for the celebration of the Fourth of July. It is the purpose to make Independence day surpass in interest and attendance all previous days of the world's fair, not excepting the opening day, April 30, which was a record breaker in exposition history.

The plans as contemplated are not yet performed in detail. They will include features of special interest, beginning early in the day and continuing far into the night. The director of works has already entered upon a scheme of illumination which will eclipse in splendor and uniqueness the present wonderful display. It is the intention to have a series of attractions which will be free to all. The concession amusements will, of course, be running, but the exposition management intends to supplement these with numerous features given in the plazas during the day and the evening. Information received through railroad channels indicates a very large attendance from the surrounding territory.

The Fourth of July falls upon Monday this year. In view of the promised

attendance of at least a quarter of a million of people, the exposition management will largely increase the number of free seats, the provisions for free water and other free conveniences. The steam railroads and street railroads will make special effort to handle the crowds. To encourage the coming of picnic parties, the 300 acres of woodland and lawn in the southern part of the grounds will be put in condition for the use of such parties.

### WILL ERECT MEMORIAL.

#### Descendants of Andrew Warde Will Honor His Memory.

New York, June 22.—At a meeting here of the Association of the Descendants of Andrew Warde (prominent in the early history of Connecticut) it has been decided to erect a memorial to the founder of the family in America, at Fairfield, Connecticut. Many prominent persons are connected with the association of which Edward Trumbull Warde of Santa Barbara, Cal., is president and General Joseph Wheeler, one of the organizers. Papers were read tracing the family's connection to an early date in the twelfth century.

### Jap Ship Makes Port.

Seattle, June 22.—The steamship Kanagawa Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the Japanese government from Yokohama, bringing a small cargo and few passengers. Ships of this line were withdrawn at the outbreak of the war to avoid capture and for use as transports. It is announced that this fear and need is now passed and that the regular sailings will be resumed.

### Rate War Will Soon End.

New York, June 22.—There are indications, according to a Herald dispatch from London, that the war in steerage rates from Europe to America will soon come to an end. Departures from Liverpool have risen little beyond the figures of the corresponding period of last year and the correspondent adds, the effect of rate cutting has simply been loss of money to all the lines concerned.

### Brewery Closed.

New York, June 22.—One of the oldest ale breweries in New York has gone out of business, owing to competition from the makers of lager beer, the brewery was opened more than half a century ago.

Decline in immigration from England, Ireland and Scotland is said to have caused a steady decline in the demand for ale and its place has been gradually taken by beer.

### Stock Has Been Sold.

Chicago, June 22.—The consignment of the Menlow stock farm of California has been sold at the Fasing-Tipton in the Union Stock Yards. Only fair prices ruled. A brown colt by Orisinal brought the highest price of the day, W. Gunn of Colorado, secured the colt for \$2200. The next highest price was \$800, for a chestnut colt by St. Carlo, Lux Cressa, Gunn also getting this animal.

### Roscoe Conkling's Big Fee.

It is said that, one day, when Roscoe Conkling was beginning to attain some measure of success, he dropped into the office of Charles O'Connor of New York then one of the leaders of the bar.

"What's the trouble?" asked the latter, as Conkling excitedly paced the floor.

"I've just been subjected to the worst insult I have ever received. This is the first time a client ever objected to my fee."

"You know I defended Gibbons for arson, and put in some tremendous work for him. He was convicted at the trial, but we couldn't help it, and I took the case to the superior court and we lost there, then on to the supreme court and that affirmed the conviction and he has been given 10 years. Now my fee only amounted to \$3000, and the scoundrel actually had the audacity to grumble about it, saying it's too high. What do you think of that for impudence?"

"Well," said O'Connor, slowly, "of course you did a lot of work and \$3000 is not a big fee; but, to be frank with you, Mr. Conkling, my opinion, founded on mature consideration, is that he might have been convicted for less money."

### Steamer Injured.

San Francisco, June 22.—The big freight steamer Alcoa was more seriously damaged by striking on the sunken rocks off Point Bonita than the first opinion of experts foreshadowed. When docked for investigation today it was discovered that the bilge keel on the port side had been partially wrenched off and a new one will have to be supplied.

# WAR IN NEW YORK

## Inmates of Insane Asylum, Hearing of Russo-Japanese War, Go and Do Likewise.

### ESCAPED AND BUILT FORT

#### Which the Keepers Captured After a Siege of Over Three Hours—No Fatalities.

New York, June 22.—Stories of the war in the far east have caused an outbreak among the inmates of the Morris Plains Insane Asylum near Morristown, N. J. Half a dozen lunatics who had engaged in a long controversy finally made a break for liberty. They crossed Speedwell river and hastily threw up a small fort of timbers on the top of a hill. Attendants attempted to carry the works but were met by a volley of stones and beat a retreat. For three hours the fort held out. Then a truce was arranged and the commander of the garrison agreed to a parley as escape was impossible.

A conference with the commander of the keepers was held under the white flag on a big flat stone in the middle of the river. In all seriousness, the lunatics, after a long wrangle, agreed to surrender, having been granted some small favors. No losses were reported beyond a few bruised heads.

### INTERESTS FISH MEN.

#### Important Decision Handed Down by Appraisers.

New York, June 22.—A decision of much interest to importers of fish has been handed down by the board of United States general appraisers. It is in favor of the importers. Fish imported in brine are dutiable by weight at the rate of half a cent a pound. About six months ago the general appraisers said that the brine surrounding the fish must be included in the dutiable weight. The board now explains that the former decision must be interpreted to mean that only the brine adhering to the fish after they have been drained shall be included in the dutiable weight.

### WILL CUT DOWN FORCE.

#### Railroads Are to Give Many Clerks a Furlough.

Philadelphia, June 22.—At a conference between President A. J. Cassatt and Assistant Controller Max Reinbeck of the Pennsylvania railway on the subject of reducing the clerical force in the general offices of the company in this city, it was decided that economies are to be accomplished by putting several hundred clerks on furlough and by requiring those retained in the service to take vacations without pay. More than 2500 persons are employed in the general offices here, and it is believed that more than 2000 will be affected by the orders.

### MURDERER PARDONED.

#### Governor of Montana Will Not Ask for Extradition.

Butte, Mont., June 22.—A Helena special to the Miner says that Governor Toole will not demand of the governor of Missouri the extradition of William Miles, the 60-year-old laborer, who a few days ago at Kansas City confessed that he had killed a brakeman on the Montana Union railway north of Deer Lodge in 1885, for which crime a man of the name of Waltham is now serving a life sentence

at the penitentiary at Deer Lodge. The governor announced that in addition, because of the mental condition of the convict who is now paying the penalty for what may have been the crime of another, he is disposed to pardon Waltham.

The case is a most unusual one for the reason that in both instances the men have confessed that they were the slayers of the brakeman.

### Rockefeller Loosens Up.

New York, June 22.—A communication from John D. Rockefeller has been received by the committee in charge of relief for the widows and orphans of the General Slocum disaster, promising to make good any deficiency in the fund after the voluntary contributions had ceased. Several thousands of dollars already have been collected. Arrangements are being made to find homes for the orphans to avoid placing them in charitable institutions. The committee will be incorporated and all money placed in the hands of trustees.

### Will Revise Freight Rates.

New York, June 22.—Traffic managers of the trunk lines and their western connections will hold meetings in both this city and Chicago this week for the purpose of revising eastbound freight rates from western points to the Atlantic seaboard. The present schedule expires July 5, and the new rates probably will take effect immediately after that date. On some commodities there will be no change, but on others an increase of from 5 to 15 per cent is expected.

### Intercepted the Czar's Mail.

A very striking proof of the czar's bondage was recently afforded when the czar dispatched one of his personal favorites, a certain M. Klopoff, into the central provinces of Russia to report on the true condition of affairs there, about which he had previously received official information. He desired to test the accuracy of bureaucratic reports, but he knew that letters from M. Klopoff direct to him would inevitably be opened and suppressed if they contained statements of which officialdom disapproved. In order to avoid this espionage, he ordered M. Klopoff to mail his reports in small envelopes of the pattern used for private letters, not straight to the palace, but to the address in St. Petersburg of a certain General Hesse. General Hesse was entrusted with the secret, and he undertook personally to carry all the letters received from M. Klopoff to the czar. M. Klopoff went on his mission, but out of 18 letters which he posted to General Hesse for the czar only five reached their destination. A strong ruler would doubtless make a vigorous effort to liberate himself from this tyranny, but the czar is essentially a weak man. The unhealthy, pale, almost gray color of his complexion betrays his want of physical health and strength, while the amazing inconsistencies of his reign indicate successive surrenders to conflicting influences. It is characteristic of his weakness that he never strikes out a new line of thought or action on his own initiative, and that his decision on any given question of policy is nothing more than the choice which of two or more courses recommended to him by different advisers shall be followed. He is never a leader like the German emperor, but is continually being led by some influential man or group of men.—George Weise, in the July Success.

### Imperial Edict.

Pekin, June 22.—(Noon).—An imperial edict has just been issued which pardons all who were connected with the reform movement in 1898 with the exception of Kang Yuwei, Liang Chiehau and Sunwen.

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and watery from the effects of malarial sickness, debility or some old chronic trouble, that the impurities break out in bad sores on the lower extremities or other part of the body. There is always some morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood that keeps the sore discharging, and must be gotten out before it will heal. Washes and salves, while cleansing, soothing and helpful, will not do it, because they do not reach the poisoned blood; but S. S. S. cleanses and purifies the diseased blood, and when this is accomplished the place heals. Where the health has been

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